

**PERSONAL WEB DIARY**

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

Diary entries may be created and a digital signature be calculated and appended at many locations and, from such locations, transmitted as a diary record to an archive over the Internet or Web. To ensure that user 1 cannot modify or delete a diary entry, once it is sent to archive 3, user 1 and archive 3 enter into an agreement that archive 3 may store the submitted diary records for a fixed period of time, and that archive 3 may not allow anyone, including user 1, to modify or delete these records during this time interval.